

TAKE UP FORTIFICATIONS APPROPRIATION BILL

Measure Carrying About \$4,300,000 Is Brought Up in the House of Representatives.

Washington, June 13.—The fortifications appropriation bill, carrying about \$4,300,000, one of the three great national defense measures, was taken up yesterday in the House. It provides not only for the seacoast fortifications, but for the mobile army's artillery.

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Brandeis' Assignment.

Washington, June 12.—In the supreme court yesterday Justice Brandeis was assigned to the second or New York circuit, succeeding Mr. Hughes.

BRITISH FLEET IN THE BALTIC

Squadron of Powerful Ships Is in a Russian Port

AND IN CONTROL OF BALTIC SEA

A Petrograd Correspondent Cables Dreadnoughts and Cruisers Enter Baltic

London, June 13.—Percival Gibbon in a dispatch from Petrograd says: "I am obliged to give the following with reserve since conditions prevent confirmation of the facts. 'The German admissions of loss after the loss of ships in the recent naval battle in the Skagerrack do not convey the real quality of the British victory. 'The nature of the warfare on the northern Russian front implies roughly that whoever rules the Baltic wins. Since the ice melted in the spring mysterious signs have appeared that Germany was contemplating action of a certain kind. Apparently connoting an invasion of Finland, this possibility was fully provided for in the Russian arrangements, but the Baltic problem remained doubtful. 'I am too far from the scene of battle to put any particular construction on either the German or British objective in that historic collision, but the British victory is rendered more than ever plain by the fact that a British squadron of the latest dreadnoughts and battle cruisers made its way through the

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channel between Denmark and Sweden, and reached a certain port, where the warships are now at anchor.

"This has made it possible to send news of the movement, as the passage of the narrow waters was conducted in the face of attacks by a German destroyer flotilla. The Germans are fully aware of the fact that British warships in overwhelming strength and mounting guns without an equal in the whole German navy are now commanding the naval situation in the Baltic and tightening the stranglehold blockade of the doomed empire's throat.

"The German claim that the Warpite and Princess Royal were sunk in the Skagerrack is answered by the fact that both the great war machines are now in the Baltic, beside a formidable squadron of others."

TOTAL GERMAN LOSS IN WAR 2,924,586 MEN

The Official List Shows the Names of 734,412 Killed.

London, June 13.—Germany up to June 1 had lost 2,924,586 soldiers, according to a British official tabulation of German casualty lists made public yesterday. The compilation does not include German naval losses or losses in the German colonies.

The statement quotes the German official casualty lists for May as placing the total German losses at 102,597. It classifies as follows:

Dead, 22,471; wounded, 72,075; prisoners and missing, 7,961.

The German official lists to June 1 give these totals:

Dead, 734,412; wounded, 1,851,652; prisoners and missing, 338,522.

THOUGHT OFFICER REBEL AND SHOT HIM

British Sergeant Charged with Murder of Lieutenant Lucas and a Man Employed at Brewery.

Dublin, June 13.—An incident of the Irish rebellion which heretofore has been kept secret, came out at a court martial yesterday. It concerns the shooting by a sergeant of the guard at the Guinness brewery of his officer and an employee of the brewery, whom he took for rebels. The defendant is Sergeant Robert Flood of the Royal Dublin Fusiliers. He is charged with the murder of Lieutenant Lucas of King Edward's horse and William J. Rice, who was employed at the brewery.

The prosecutor explained that Lieutenant Lucas took over command of the guard on the night of April 28. It was very dark at the time. Lucas was unknown to the sergeant, and when he opened a window which was contrary to instructions Flood ordered his arrest, the prosecutor said, and later his execution, as well as that of Rice.

Later Lieutenant Warwick arrived at the brewery and, rushing up toward the guard, also was shot. According to the prosecutor, the guard was very "lumpy." Some of the commands which Lucas gave were misunderstood by the guard, the prosecutor said, leading him to suspect the lieutenant was not what he represented himself as being. It was too dark to recognize his uniform.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Games.

At Cincinnati—Boston and Cincinnati, wet grounds.

At Philadelphia—Pittsburgh 1, Philadelphia 2.

At Brooklyn—St. Louis 1, Brooklyn 3.

At New York—Chicago 8, New York 2.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Brooklyn	25	16	.610
Philadelphia	24	19	.558
New York	23	19	.548
Chicago	23	25	.479
Boston	20	22	.476
Cincinnati	22	25	.438
Pittsburgh	20	24	.455
St. Louis	21	28	.429

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Games.

At Cleveland—Philadelphia 1, Cleveland 3.

At Detroit—New York 6, Detroit 8.

At Chicago—Washington 0, Chicago 3.

At St. Louis—Boston 3, St. Louis 4.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cleveland	30	19	.612
New York	24	21	.532
Washington	23	22	.511
Detroit	25	23	.521
Boston	24	23	.511
Chicago	22	23	.489
St. Louis	21	26	.447
Philadelphia	15	29	.341

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THE OHIO REDISTRICTING LAW IS RULED REPEALED

Supreme Court of United States Affirms Action of Supreme Court of State of Ohio.

Washington, June 13.—The supreme court of the United States yesterday affirmed the action of the Ohio supreme

court in holding that the Sprague congressional redistricting law enacted by the 1915 legislature had been repealed by an adverse referendum vote of the people.

PETITION OPPOSED.

Crooker Argues Against the Boston & Maine Request.

Boston, June 13.—The petition of the Boston & Maine railroad for an extension of one year in the time allowed for reorganization of the road under the act

passed in this state last year, was opposed at a hearing before the public service commission yesterday.

Conrad W. Crooker, representing the Minority Stockholders' Protective association doubted if any effective reorganization plan had been devised.

A communication from Marcus P. Knowlton, chairman of the federal trustees who control a large block of Boston & Maine stock, expressed a desire to be recorded in favor of having the time extended.

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